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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 4, 2006 AND ADVISORY ACTION MAILED MARCH 31, 2006

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the final office action mailed January 4, 2006 and advisory action mailed March 31, 2006.

Should any fees under 37 CFR 1.16-1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, including any additional fee for an extension of time, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from O'Keefe, Egan & Peterman Deposit Account No. 10-1205/MTIP:003D2.

Please amend the application as follows.